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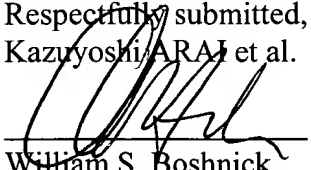
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Further to our telephone conversation of November 6, 2003, please find attached a signed copy of the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116, including Form PTO-1449 and references filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 10, 2003, accompanied by a date stamped mail room receipt evidencing filing of the same.

Should the Examiner have any questions or comments regarding this matter, the undersigned may be contacted at the below-listed telephone number.

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- ☒ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
☐ A Request for Extension of Time.
☒ A form PTO-1449 and references cited.
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